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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Presented for filing is a new original patent application of:

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Title : MODIFIED RED PHOSPHORUS, METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME, DECOLORIZED

RED PHOSPHORUS COMPOSITION AND FLAME-RETARDANT POLYMER COMPOSITION

Attorney Docket No.: 0092/006001

Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required for a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

Pages	of	Specification	71
Pages	of	Claims	5
Pages	of	Abstract	1
Pages	of	Declaration	2
Pages	of	Information Disclosure Statement	1
Pages	of	PTO-1449 Form (in duplicate)	1
Cited	Rei	Eerences	3
Pages	of	Submission of Priority Document	2
Certif	fied	d Copy of JP 2002-209463	1

Basic filing fee	750.00
Total claims in excess of 20 times \$18.00	36.00
Independent claims in excess of 3 times \$84.00	84.00
Multiple dependent claims	0.00
Total filing fee:	\$870.00

The \$870.00 fee for filing this application is currently due. Please charge this fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0092/006001. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. It is believed that this fee covers all of the required fees for filing this application, however, if any additional fees are required, please charge these required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0092/006001.

Applicants respectfully claim priority under 35 USC 119 to Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-209463 filed on July 18, 2002. The certified copy of this application is enclosed.

If this application is found to be INCOMPLETE, or if any additional fee is required, or if it appears that a telephone conference would helpfully advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned at 202-530-5900.

Transmittal Letter

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